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1) On 15 January 1947 Professor von KENDE, Michael von ALSHIBAYA and Alexander TSCHAYA are said to have held a conference with a British captain in the vicinity of Hannover. The officer indicated that the present British interest in the Caucasus is in military and political issues, and to furnish information on these matters, a Georgian organization similar to the Amt VI Kesselin (with channels via Turkey) would be desirable. Reportedly, the British officer stressed the fact that the Americans should not be informed of the matter.

2) In September 1946, von KENDE and ALSHIBAYA are said to have visited a British officer in Kreisensen, Hannover, and forwarded him a list of persons whom they proposed for cooperation with the British.

3) The above information was furnished CIB, EUCOM, in a recent MUSTY report.

4) During a recent meeting of members of the German Mission with Lt Colonel Gallien and Mr. Steedman of SIS Germany, Gallien told of the British interest in the Georgians, mentioning ALSHIBAYA and KENDE, and indicated that the interested party is Colonel Dunderdale of MI6 in London. Dunderdale's long-standing acquaintance with the Georgian problem was stressed by Gallien.

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